

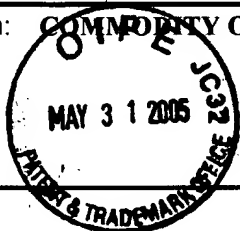
**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
**14684**

In Re Application Of: **Hisashi Tanaka, et al.**

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
09/875,530	June 6, 2001	Robert M. Pond	23389	3625	6951

Invention: **COMMODITY ORDERING METHOD AND COMMODITY ORDERING SYSTEM**



COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of December 29, 2004 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    ☒ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: March 29, 2005    until: May 29, 2005  
*Date*    *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is \$450 and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.  
☐ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-1013/SSMP  
☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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